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## Mining Men Ask Loan Office Location in S. F.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—Correction of the annoying conditions that have created misunderstanding and dissatisfaction in western mining circles since the RFC last summer announced that it would grant loans to worthy mining projects, are under consideration by RFC officials, it was indicated here this week. The advisability of such action was proposed by Senator Charles B. Henderson, member of the RFC Board of Directors, upon his return from an extended trip during which he familiarized himself with conditions in the West.

Mining leaders maintain that the current dissatisfaction is traceable to the fact that the RFC has been operating its Mining Department upon a "remote control" basis, conducting all negotiations with applicants for mining loans directly from this city. This, they add, has caused confusion, delay and undue correspondence.

To elimiante this condition, mining men, after a thorough study of the situation, have proposed that the RFC establish a regional mining office in San Francisco where applicants could obtain verbal, preliminary instructions and, if necessary, sympathetic consideration of their individual problems. As it is now, it is necessary for an applicant to send to Washington for application forms, and there is no official source of information in the western states to aid those seeking loans in determining whether their properties are qualified under the regulations.

**ONLY 160 COMPLETE**

Another complaint reaching official ears here is that the RFC has granted only one loan since August, although 4,000 applications have been submitted. Investigation, however, reveals that this criticism is unjustified as it is based upon incorrect statements published in the western trade papers. The facts are that since last summer approximately 4,00 requests have been made to the RFC for application forms, but to date only about 160 completed applications for loans have been received here.

The highly technical and fiscal aspect of each individual project has been handled with sympathetic and intelligent consideration by the officials of the mining department who, despite malicious statements to the contrary, are desirous of granting as many loans as possible.

Congressman James G. Scrugham, of Nevada, author of the RFC Act, authorizing mining loans, has proposed in a letter to Secretary of Interior Ickes that all mining and metallurgical activities in connection with mining loan applications be transferred to Bureau of Mines.

Members of various federal agencies involved decline to comment on Scrugham's proposal, but it is understood from reliable sources that congressional regulations governing the Bureau of Mines do not permit the Bureau participating in such activities.

**REMINGTON HILL MINE**

In the last few weeks the buildings and equipment at the Remington Hill gravel property have been moved to a new location where hydraulic operations will be conducted this season. Some repairs are being done on ditches.

## RED CROSS FUND SLOWLY GROWING

Red Cross contributions in Nevada City now total $285, according to an estimate by George Calanan, in charge of the present drive, made this morning.

New memberships sold by Mrs. Horace Curnow and Mrs. Annie Paine are as follows:

Mrs. Stephen Roberts, Mrs. Pianezzi, Mr. J. E. Glennon, Mrs. M. E. Robbins, Mrs. Cole, Mrs. Moyli, Mrs. J. Pasco, W. H. Richards, Kate Eddy, Mrs. Spear, Mr. Lobdell, Mr. Scheck, Mr. Heather, Mrs. Magonigal, Judge Tuttle, Mrs. Tuttle, Mr. Hendricks, Mr. Garrison, Mr. Lawyer, Mr. Horace Curnow, Mr. Kjorlie, Mr. Barron, Miss Flewellen, Miss Esther Tremaine, Miss Mildred Bartholomew, Miss Nell B. Baggley, Miss Olive Kreutz, Mr. H. W. Hobbie, Mr. L. E. Sweeney, Mrs. Thos. Haddy, Mrs. Gilbert de Bach, Mrs. Lon Pain, Mrs. Lotz, Mrs. Jeffery, Mrs. Rude.

Additional memberships sold in Nevada City business district are as follows:

W. H. Griffith, Mr. Ainsworth, George O'Connor, Brown-Electric, Dan Traniar, Mrs. Mary Martin, Mrs. Polglase, John Muscardini, L. Netz, Miss Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Guenther, Mrs. M. Kellar.

## UNION THANKSGIVING SERVICES THURSDAY

The Methodist and Episcopal churches of Nevada City, will hold a union service Thanksgiving morning in Trinity Episcopal church. The service will begin at 10 o'clock. The Rev. H. H. Buckner will preach the Thanksgiving sermon and music will be provided by the combined Methodist and Episcopal choirs.

**NEW DODGE PANEL TRUCK NEVADA CITY-DOWNIEVILLE**

Kopp's Bakery, of Nevada City, has put a new Dodge Panel truck on their Nevada City-Downieville route, which is a credit and compliment to the bakery and the highway.

## EARLY SNOW ON SIERRAS HEAVY

Up at Norden, Nevada county, where the snow is measured for this territory, there was 30 inches of snow reported Saturday. The Donner Pass is open, but chains are advised by highway officials for motorists traveling over the route. There are 30 inches of snow on the pass. At Soda Springs there were 38 inches, the deepest at this date since 1922.

The snow that fell at the Plumbago mine at the 4,000 foot level, has melted. Some snow is reported at the Henness Pass and at the Cornish House, there was between 2½ and 3 feet of snow. From Omega, report comes in, there is 1½ feet of snow with an icy crust and it seems to hold.

**GOLDEN TRIANGLE PROPERTY**

At the Golden Triangle mine, in the Graniteville district, two men will remain for the winter to drive a crosscut and also on the Shepp ledge where good values were opened up for some distance. Construction of the mess house and blacksmith shop is under way at present.

**GRASS VALLEY BULLION**

Mining continues at the Grass Valley Bullion mine below Grass Valley on different levels from the 800 foot level up. Ore is being hauled to the Hoge Development company mill above Nevada City and milled.

## June Forgetting April Ordeal

While federal officers hunt the gang which, last April, kidnaped and penned her up for 19 days in an iron cage in the desert near Tucson, Ariz., little June Robles, above, goes about her school duties, her terrible experience dim in her memory. Oscar H. Robson, held under heavy bail in the case, has denied abducting the girl.

## WHY A GAS TANK, WHEN THE BUS RUNS MILES WITHOUT IT?

Why be bothered with a gas tank? That's the query Orlando McCraney is putting to his friends. His experience seems to indicate that a gas tank, filled or empty, is just so much excess baggage. He started out to the Canada Hill mine one day last week. On the way the gas tank dropped off. He went on out to the mine and returned. When he parked he thought the rear of his car looked queer. Closer examination revealed the gas tank absent. He had traveled approximately five miles without the old thing. Why a gas tank?

## TEACHERS HOLD INSTITUTE HERE

Approximately 100 school teachers arrived in Nevada City today to attend the Institute. Among the opening features of the morning session at the Nevada City high school was a duet by Ruth Curnow and Dick Marriott. The program for today was published in Friday's issue of the Nevada City Nugget. The program for tomorrow and Wednesday follows:

Tuesday Morning

GENERAL SESSION—9:00 A. M. Presiding: Mr. James S. Hennesey. Music Grass Valley high school orchestra. Address: Dr. P. Victor Peterson, Prof. Natural Sciences, San Jose State Teachers' College.

SECTIONAL MEETINGS 9:30—11:50 A. M.

ELEMENTARY SECTION—Presiding: Miss Clara Carson. Projects: Miss Hazel Hagan. Nature Study: Dr. P. Victor Peterson.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PROBLEMS—Leader: Mrs. Lillian B. Hill.

HIGH SCHOOL SECTION—Presiding: Mr. Wm. Wilson. Dr. James Bursch, Sacramento high school. Presentation and Round Table in Purposes and Ways of Counseling high school students.

Tuesday Afternoon

GENERAL SESSION—1:30 P. M. Presiding: Mr. H. R. Spiess. Music High school students, Lincoln. Address: Hon. Vierling Kersey, State Superintendent Public Instruction.

SECTIONAL MEETINGS—2:20—4:00 P. M.

ELEMENTARY SECTION—Presiding: Mr. J. Clark McGinnis. Teaching Music, Mr. Scott Rundy; Social Studies, Mrs. Ruth Edmands; Nature Study, Dr. P. Victor Peterson.

HIGH SCHOOL SECTION—Presiding: Mr. H. R. Spiess. Dr. Bursch Presentation and Round Table on training high school students in group thinking.

Wednesday Morning

GENERAL SESSION—9:15 A. M. Presiding: Mr. Elmer Stevens. Music. Address, Mr. Arthur Chamberlain, interpreting education in the light of new economic conditions. Report of committee on resolutions.

SECTIONAL MEETINGS—10:20—11:50.

ELEMENTARY SECTION—Presiding: Miss Genevieve Kent. Social Studies, Lader: Mrs. Ruth Edmands.

HIGH SCHOOL SECTION—Presiding: Mr. Elma Stevens, Section 1, Social Studies, Leader: Miss Godbolt, continuing discussion of teaching social studies section II, Mr. George C. Jensen. Open Forum on High School Problems.

Wednesday afternoon, 1:30, P. M. Music. Address, Hon. Harry Englebright.

## DEATH SUMMONS MRS. BIERWAGEN

Mrs. Karoline Bierwagen, aged about 75 years, of Peardale, passed away at 6:10 last evening. She was highly esteemed and loved and leaves to mourn her passing several sons and daughters.

The time of the funeral has not been set, but services will be held at the German Lutheran church in Chicago Park, with Rev. Adams officiating. Interment will be made in the cemetery nearby. The body is at the Hooper-Holmes Funeral Home in Grass Valley and they will have charge of funeral arrangements.

## Mystery Takes Tragic Turn

Finding of the decomposed body of a girl positively identified as that of Dorothy Distelhurst, above, 6-year-old Nashville, Tenn., girl who disappeared two months ago, provided a tragic turn to one of the most baffling mysteries in southern police annals. The body was found six miles from the Distelhurst home. Police are seeking the girl's slayer.

## INTERNATIONAL HOUSE HELPFUL TO WORLD PEACE

BERKELEY, Nov. 26.—Dedicated to the high task of creating mutual respect between racial and national groups, International House on the University of California campus represents that informal element in education that is now receiving the consideration of thoughtful educators.

International House, says its director, Allen C. Blaisdell, does not grant degrees or diplomas, but it opens doors of experience and sound learning which are valuable compliments to the formal exercises of the University of which it is a part.

"It is being increasingly recognized," he points out, "that education is something more than participation in the formal scholastic activities of a school or university. Not only are educators seeking to make institutionalized education more flexible, to include within the formal scheme of education a freer and broader experience, but even more to create opportunities for education outside the walls of educational institutions."

The potential contributions of International House on the Berkeley campus of the University are enlarged by its informal association with the other two International Houses, one at Chicago University, and the other at Columbia University. While indigenous and self-governing, the three International Houses are coordinated by mutual relationships growing out of influences exercised by thousands of students from all over the world.

Objectives of International House include assisting the forces working toward a peaceful world, and of enlightening those as yet unaware of the cultural richness of other civilizations. In these directions particularly, its opportunities to contribute continuously to the educational experiences of its members are unparalleled, Blaisdell points out.

**ARRESTED**

The arrest of A. Adamson was made on a peace disturbance charge when he became boisterous on being refused liquor after hours at the Nevada City Grill early Sunday morning. It is alleged Adamson, who was accompanied by his wife, struck A. E. Eddy, acting night officer, several blows before being subdued by the officer. Deputy Sheriff B. Rickard assisted Eddy in placing the man in the city jail. His case will come up in the local court at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning.

## Liberalization, More and Higher Taxes, Is Legislative Forecast

By RALPH H. TAYLOR

Taxation, unemployment relief and "the liberalization of government" are rapidly taking shape as the primary issues of the 1935 State Legislature, which will convene at Sacramento in January.

And there is every indication that the forthcoming session of the lawmakers will go down in the record books as one of the most momentous legislative meetings in California history.

The swing toward a new liberalism and progressivism in government—in part a by-product of the depression and its problems, but in the main a counter-attack on radicalism—will have strong bearing on tax legislation as well as the unemployment program, according to present trends.

In addition to a powerful drive for a state income tax, designed to balance inequalities of the sales tax, there will undoubtedly be a profusion of proposals to "up" the taxes on public utilities and other corporations.

Of even greater importance, so-called "Big Business," conscious of the need of fortifying its position to withstand radicalism and attacks on "the profit system," may accept a heavier share of the tax burden without protest, if the proposals are within reason.

**UTILITIES TO PAY MORE**

A second boost of approximately $6,000,000 per biennium in the taxes of public utilities, which would fall most heavily on the power corporations and the telephone and telegraph companies, will undoubtedly be proposed. The 1933 Legislature boosted public utility taxes $6,000,000 and the second $6,000,000 increase, now contemplated, would accomplish the $12,000,000 increase recommended by the Tax Research Bureau two years ago.

The state income tax, it is estimated, would also raise aproximately $12,000,000.

Bank and corporation franchise taxes are also scheduled for increase under some of the bills which will be offered. Severance taxes on oil, minerals and timber are contemplated in other measures which some groups will sponsor.

Many other tax proposals are under consideration, although no definite program has been advanced as yet by representative groups.

**AD VALOREM MAY COME**

Postponement of the operation of the second part of the Riley-Stwart Tax Relief Plan, which calls for the return of utility properties to the counties for local tax purposes, has been mentioned in some quarters, due to the fact that this shift would reduce revenues approximately $70,000,000 per biennium and probably necessitate a state ad valorem tax.

The ad valorem, or direct property tax, would stir up a hornet's nest of opposition, it is generally conceded, and many of the governmental leaders are determined to avoid such a levy at all costs.

**HIGHER SALES TAX MAYBE**

In connection with unemployment relief and unemployment insurace proposals, there is also a possibility that the 2½ per cent state sales tax will be jumped to 3 per cent, with the extra tax being specifically set aside to care for relief costs, unemployment insurance and other welfare activities. Under the original act, the sales tax was intended to drop down to 2 per cent during the coming year, but in face of a $100,000,000 deficit there is every indication that the tax will be maintained at 2½ per cent at least, with the possibility that it may be increased.

But it is also fairly certain that if the sales levy is boosted the additional tax will be plainly "earmarked" for the relief of the unemployed and the aged. If the Legislature follows the advice of Governor Merriam and Lieutenant-Governor Hatfield, however, it will sponsor a national old age pension system, rather than a state pension plan, as a protection against the invasion of unemployed from other sections. In furtherance of the new "liberalization" movement, California will also take its place, in all probability, as one of the first states to petition for congressional action establishing a 30-hour week in both private and public work.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tourtellotte, of Big Creek, Fresno county, have come up to do some finishing work on their new home in Willow Valley. Mrs. Will Davis, who has been their guest, also returned to Willow Valley. Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Tourtellotte enjoyed a motor trip to Long Beach, San Diego and Lake City, recently.

## Presidential Timber?

Re-election of Alfred Mossman Landon, above, Republican governor of Kansas, by a margin of more than 60,000 votes, makes him a strong potential G. O. P. candidate for president of the United States in 1936, his followers believe.

## CALIFORNIA DEER KILLED ARE 20,805

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—The returns for the 1934 deer season are all in and the figures released by the State Fish and Game Commission place the legal kill of bucks during the year at 20,805. The tags made out by successful hunters last year amounted to 17,686. This shows an increase in the number of deer killed this year over last of 3,119. Those killed in Nevada county totaled 1883. Modoc led the state with a kill of 1,553.

The sale of deer tags totals a little over 100,000, though all returns are not yet in. This means that one hunter out of five tag purchasers was successful in getting a deer. The average since 1927 is almost one out of six, so this year the venison seekers had better luck.

The check of tags also reveals that 2,758 hunters got the limit of two bucks this year, a couple of hundred more than last year.

## SONS WILL ENTERTAIN FATHERS DECEMBER 3

The Nevada City high school boys will entertain their fathers in a program at the high school next Monday evening, December 3. The entertainment will be given with the cooperation of the high school P. T. A., and is to have many novel features. The boys will entertain their fathers as they would like to be entertained themselves. The program will start at 7:30, and will begin with the making of "Mother's Christmas Gift from Son," in which the fathers are to help their sons to prepare a gift for the mothers who will not be present. A chocolate cake will be given to the makers of the best gift.

The program will be put on by the boys who will also provide the refreshments. There is to be a 50c admission charge, and after the expenses of the evening are deducted, the remainder will be given to the high school library.

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## MORE HOPEFUL TRENDS

(Contributed)

The forces of recuperation are steadily gathering momentum. From all parts of the country come reports of more favorable business trends and better than all else the substitution of a spirit of optimism for the gloom that has been too dominant in the national thinking.

Hard upon the heels of the announced purpose of the American Bankers Association to cooperate with the Government in the recovery program came a declaration of like purpose from the Investment Bankers Association of America. The task set by the latter group is indicated by President Crane's comment that the most vital problem of recovery is to reopen the capital market in order to revive heavy industries, and that this is more a function of investment bankers than of commercial bankers.

Retail trade has remained good in recent months, a fact which has contributed a persistent, cheerful feature to the business picture. Observers now predict for this year the best Christmas trade since the depression began. Everywhere one detects the substitution of optimism for pessimism—the replacement of a spirit of antagonism by a spirit of cooperation.

Merryle Stanley Rukeyser, well-known economist, struck the prevailing note of hope the other day when he declared that the prophet of doom who kept repeating that we were on the verge of collapse has been belied by the course of events. He added that the new attitude is to regard business men and bankers as instrumentalities for economic improvement through whom the President can work.

It was in this new spirit that representatives of code authorities for 23 durable goods industries assembled in Washington, adopted a resolution affirming faith in the NRA, and set themselves resolutely to the task of improving the working of their codes in the light of experience.

Finally there is the appeal in behalf of members of the National Industrial Recovery Board for cooperation from American business in reorganizing NRA, the NRA which will be called upon to function after the present recovery act expires next June. Arthur D. Whiteside, a member of the Board, has stated that if business men will formulate their ideas and send them to Washington in the form of constructive suggestions, their ideas will be used in shaping a new NRA. There is no reason on earth, said he, why the NRA should mean that business men lose individualism and become regimented.

These all may be only straws in the wind, but taken in the aggregate they indicate unmistabably that more favorable winds are blowing.

## JUDGE LECTURES PETE, RE-PETE, PICCOLO PETE

Charles Giani, proprietor of the Gold Run Inn, and two Italians had trouble last week end. Pete Palmeri, the one most severely injured got out a warrant for Giani, the case to have been called Wednesday. Owing to so many conflicting reports Judge W. L. Mobley summoned the three men and advised them to think over their grievances. He will let the case stand and can call it at any time.

In lecturing the men the Judge addiessed them as Pete, Re-Pete and Piccolo Pete, the latter being a piccolo player.

### MARRIAGE DECLARATION

RONCHI-HIERONIMUS—In Nevada, City, Nevada county, November 21, by Renaldo A. Ronchi, 52, of Folsom, Sacramento county, and Frieda Hieronimus, 50, of Nevada City.

KEY-LOCATELL—In Nev. City, Nevada rounty, November 23, 1934, by Francis Scott Key, 26 and Santina Locatelli, 17, both of Grass Valley.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

BERTUCCELLI-PELLEGRINI In Nevada City, Nevada county, November 22, 1934, to Adrian Arther Bertucelli, 28, of Stockton, San Joaquin county, and Antionette Hazel Pellegrini, 20, of Nevada City.


*It is now time to think of Christmas Cards*

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## BETWEEN THE LINES

By Alexander McNulty

### BETTER HOUSING

As our country enters the sixth winter of depression and as the burden of relief to the unemployed grows heavier, the absolute necessity for sounder policies than the present emergency measures now serving; become more and more apparent. Fundamentally, there can be no criticism of what is being done. Millions of people, through no fault of their own, must be given aid in order to exist and the various governmental agencies are giving this aid. In accomplishing this project, there are no doubt countless instances of inefficient administration.

Nationally known figures, criticizing present policies, have charged that in some cases only 50 per cent of the funds allocated for relief reaches those for whom they were intended, the balance being misappropriated and spent in their administration. The most dangerous aspect of the present relief policy however, is the undeniable fact that the vast sums being spent by government to enable these millions to exist, are doing very little to better our economic sickness. It furnishes a bare existence for millions of people who are unable, due to circumstances, to produce any new wealth.

The money being spent represents debt to the government and, because of lack of confidence on the part of business and bankers, does not continue circulating as it must before anything like normal conditions prevail. This is resulting in a greater concentration of money—and consequently credit—in the hands of a few people, than ever before.

It must surely soon become evident to all thinking people that the only real way to prosperity and plenty is in utilizing our resources of ingenuity and labor and material things in the generous production and the full consumption of all the things we need and want. When this truth is fully realized and a start made to put it in practice, there will be employment and profit and satisfaction for all.

At the moment, the one thing that seems to hold greater promise to fulfill these necessities is the National Housing Plan, advocated by organized business and endorsed by the Administration. This plan contemplates the expenditure of perhaps 12 billion dollars over a period of five years in the renovation of old homes and construction of new, modern homes.

The advantage of a program of this magnitude are clearly evident. While providing employment for millions now unemployed, it would also fill a very real need, i. e., for better housing. Added contentment in their daily lives of the people who would be benefited cannot be measured in dollars; but the real value of such improvement would very materially increase the wealth of the nation.

Banks bursting with credit but with no borrowers; millions of idle hands begging for employment; a very real need for such a building program, and a growing realization that it would do a world of good; should be incentive enough to assure that such differences and difficulties as exist to hamper its initiation be eliminated.

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## CHARLES BARTON WIDELY MOURNED

The following is a brief biography of Charles N. Barton, resident of North San Juan, who passed away November 14.

Charles N. Barton, for 70 years a resident of North San Juan Ridge, passed away in the county hospital pay ward November 14, 1934. He was a driver for the Wells Fargo Express in the early days and has been interested in various kinds of enterprises since, including mining. He is mourned by a daughter, Mrs. Mabel Pollock, of Sacramento; a brother, Chris Barton and family of Berkeley; two nieces and nephews, Mrs. Ethel Jones, Mrs. Sadie Birbe and Mr. Erwin Kinney, of San Francisco.

He was widely known throughout the county and his passing is mourned by all. Interment was in North San Juan in the family plot. Rev H. H. Buckner conducted the services.


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FURNISHED ROOMS—For one or two men, in convenient location. Board included if desired. Call at 220 Clay street, R. Ritter, or at the office of the Nevada City Nugget. 2tp.

WANTED—25 used radios and 10 used electric refrigerators. Condition immaterial if price reasonable. Phone Grass Valley 358W. Nov. 5tfc.

**WANTED—Clean rags at the Nugget Office.**

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Constructed mainly of wooden parts, the pump followed the principal of cisten pumps common in the Eastern states. The cylinder was usually an elongated square box using a square piston and the necessary check valves with leather mous rocker arm was operated by a a long wooden connecting rod, sometimes 100 feet or more in length. The connecting rod was run down a square wooden pipe to the piston at the bottom of the shaft. An enormous rocker arm operated by a crank shaft or an eccentric which was usually turned by a water wheel.

The pumps were unable to lift water to any great height and the retarded development of better pumping facilities was responsible for the abandonment of many good mining properties.

# DISTRICT P. T. A. ENJOYS MEETING HERE

There were about 70 members and visitors present Wednesday to enjoy the third district meeting of the P. T. A., in the Methodist church. Mrs. J. C. Clark gave many worth while facts pertaining to proposed state legislation on education. About 50 attended the noon luncheon at the National Hotel.

A musical program arranged by Mrs. Christian Anderson was enjoyed in the afternoon. Mrs. Ray Packwood sang two solos; Mrs. E. R. Dawson, two piano solos; Franklin Tuttle, accompanied by Miss Sally Robinson, rendered two saxophone solos. The final numbers on the program were three numbers rendered by the high school band, under the direction of Mr. Sweeney.

Mrs. Clark, prominent P. T. A., member of Marysville, will visit the P. T. A., at the grammar school this afternoon. She is an authority on Parent Teacher Education.

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## From Nearby Communities

### CAMPTONVILLE
By ACTON M. CLEVELAND

CAMPTONVILLE, Nov. 23.—Mr. James Halkyard made a short visit to Nevada City a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hays left for Browns Valley Saturday on a visit to Mr. Hay's mother.

Mrs. Olive Groves and Postmaster Lydia O. Groves motored to Grass Valley Sunday on a visit to their cousin, ill at the Jones Mmorial hospital.

The many friends of George E. Butz are pleased to learn of his recent acquired position as foreman at camp Bradley, near Forest Hill.

W. H. Cartwright, of Grass Valley was in town on business Thursday.

William O. Grant returned a few days ago from a business visit to Sacramento.

Edward Havey and family have moved into the J. P. Brown house on Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Acton M. Cleveland returned Wednesday from t hree days visit with relatives at Sacramento.

Game Warden Earl Hiscox, of Nevada City, was in this section Wednesday on official business.

### HOLMES FUNERAL HOME HAS BEEN REDCOREATED

A. M. Holmes has made many changes and improvements in the Holmes Funeral Home on Sacramento street recently.

The first was the enlarging of the family reception room, and new drapes; a new carpet for the reception room, an extra room for flowers, and rest room; new drapes and chairs for the chapel; enlarging of the display room upstairs, and the redecorating of several rooms. The many changes have added to the soft, kindly, home effect of the establishment.

Mr. Holmes also rebuilt the four car garage destroyed by fire some time ago and purchased a new service car.

### MOUNTAIN VIEW

W. White, of Hollywood, is reopening the Mountain View mine, north of Washington and has a crew of 10 men employed. The old tunnel has been cleaned out and development work started.

### WASHINGTON NEWS
By MRS. CLYDE COLE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—Pete Anderson, of Oakland, is visiting Mr. Martin Vanberg at the Artic mine for several days.

Mr. Roy Walsh has moved into town from Omega to spend the winter in Washington.

Mr. White, of the Mountain View mine, was a visitor in Nevada City during the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burrows were visitors in Nevada City on Tuesday.

### 1935 GRAND JURY WILL BE CHOSEN IN DECEMBER

Foreman Harold W. Robinson, of the Nevada County Grand Jury, has in hand the reports of his various committees which he will submit to Judge Tuttle upon his return from Los Angeles, where he is presiding in the supreme courts. The jury will not be discharged until the report has been submitted. The 1935 jury will be selected early in December.

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# HOW EMERGENCY RELIEF IN NEV. CO. IS HANDLED

BY ALEXANDER McNULTY

As cold weather approaches and as the ranks of the un-employed are swelled by the usual seasonal slowdown in activity; our attention becomes more acute as to how the situation is being provided for.

In the amazing alphabetical jumble used to designate the various agencies and governmental bodies which today make up our government, the average person cannot be expected to recognize the names or functions of them all. There are some however, with whose activities we should all be familiar. Among the most important is the Emergency Relief Administration.

This agency, upon which rests the tremendous responsibilities of carrying a large portion of the burden of unemployment relief has not had the credit it deserves. A short study of how a thing affects us at home in our everyday affairs, is far more illuminating than long figures and general statements.

The SERA in this county functions under the very capable direction of Mrs. Gertrude Esterly. Acting Director of Nevada county, and a staff of two assistants. There are at present four projects under way, two in Grass Valley, one in Nevada City, and one in Truckee. Five other projects in the county have been approved and will be started in the immediate future. Still other projects are under consideration and will be started if and when they meet approval and the stress of a unemployment make them necessary. This agency intends to provide employment during the winter for at least 82 per cent of those unemployed.

Funds for the payment of labor only, are provided by the Federal Government and the State, jointly. Material, supervision, etc., must be furnished by the political corporation, such as county or city, for which the work is being done. In order for a project to be eligible for aid from this agency, it must be of public character and of immediate or ultimate benefit to the public. Projects having to do with public utilities, while they may be of a public nature, but which are owned by a private corporation, are not eligible.

Under the SERA, anyone able to work who is in need of relief, is eligible for employment. As is only natural, an investigation is made of each applicant and his needs are certified. Depending upon the number of dependants, the family's needs are budgeted and the applicant is provided sufficient hours of work per week to make up this amount. Labor is paid at the rate of 50 cents per hour and the maximum work week may not exceed 30 hours.

Mrs. Esterly is to be commended on the manner in which her office functions. Each applicant is given courteous attention and is made to feel that he is an individual and that there is no stigma attached to his necessity of applying for work relief.

Despite numerous obstacles in getting established, and the usual delays attendant to getting any public work started, an excellent showing has been made. During the past week, between 75 and 80 men have been made. During the past week, between 75 and 80 men have been employed on the various projects through out the county and in past weeks the number has ranged between 60 and 70.

The office at 203 Main street, is a busy place and is doing and should continue to do, much good to the entire county.

## NEVADA CITY BOY WINS HONOR AT U. C.

John Hoffman, of Nevada City, has recently been elected to Tau Beta Pi, national engineering scholastic honor society, at the University of California.

Nineteen seniors and five juniors comprise the group of twenty-four mining and engineering students who have received the outstanding honor of being lected to membership in this organization.

Mr. Hoffman is a senior and is studying in the College of Mining while attending the University.

### ALTA HILL PROPERTY

Latest reports are that Cooley Butler interests have cleaned out the 300 foot shaft on their Alta Hill property; reconditioned the surface plant and some development is being done on the 150 foot level. An ancient channel was struck in this

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## BOOK CHATS

**Letters of Raymond Rolland and Malwida Von Meysenburg**
Reviewed by
**ABIGAIL J. STACKPOLE**

It is a pretty safe wager that every great man has had, at sometime in his life, a loyal friend or loved one to cheer and encourage him in his darkest hours.

Mussolini and Hitler may each have such a friend; we do not know. It is common knowledge, however, that Ghandi has a faithful and stalwart champion in the person of Miss Madeline Slade. We thing of Lincoln as the lonely and entirely self-made man. Yet, he might have been lost to the world, had not his thoughtful and understanding step-mother, Nancy Hanks Lincoln—wasn't it?—when darkness descended upon the little log cabin, sent her brood to bed in the loft, that Abe might read undisturbed by the light of burning wood in the fireplace.

Such a friend who held the torch of encouragement in young Raymond Rolland's darkest moments, was Malwida von Meysenburg, the seventy-year-old German woman.

At no time or place in the world, perhaps, has there been, between youth and age, the beautiful friendship which was enjoyed between Raymond Rolland and Malwida von Meysenburg.

Endlessly, these two discussed literature, art, and music.

Malwida, who was not rich, rented a piano, that Rolland might play for her the music of the masters.

"I was so contented with your visit," wrote the old lady, in a letter to her young friend, " . . . and with the tranquil hour we had. You played the Adagio as you had never done before; it was as if a balm were descending into my soul. I believe you are working so much with Beethoven that his soul is gradually coming to live again in you."

Rolland tells, in his beautiful introduction, how, after an hour's playing for his friend, so great was their emotion that for long moments not a word passed between them.

"Watching my profile, she had been following the drama of the music on the transparent screen of my motionless face; and, silent, we had accompanied Beethoven's Passion on the road to the Cross. The last note had died away. Then I would get up, take my place in the corner of the divan, and lean on the table. She would be opposite. And still we could not speak. Impossible. What could speech accomplish, when everything had just been said by music?"

Thus, these two, the white-haired lady and the youth, would sit in the lamplight until their soothed spirits returned to everyday thoughts.

Rolland asked Malwida to read his first literary efforts and begged for her severest criticism; but she had only praise for his work. She was the first to read the beginning of that great series, Jean Cristophe, and also the first to read Rolland's Life of Beethoven, the finest biography of the blind composer which has ever been written.

There is a gold mine for those who have the minds and hearts to understand and appreciate this beautiful book. Without a doubt, these letters will be read a hundred, or a thousand years hence, when most modern literature will have been forgotten.

Letters of Raymond Rolland and Malwida von Meysenburg was translated from the French by Thomas J. Wilson. Publisher, Henry Holt and Company, N. Y. Price $2.50.

# FAMOUS SILVER QUEEN SOLD TO AFRICAN GROUP

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 22—Sale of the Silver Queen mine near Mojave, scene of California's richest gold strike of the last 20 years, to Consolidated Gold Fields of South Africa, Ltd., for $3,250,000 was reported here today.

The company has made a substantial payment to bind the deal, and has 60 days in which to inspect and sample the ores. At the conclusion of the option period, a down payment of $1,250,000 in cash is to be made, and the balance paid over a period of years.

The discovery was made by Geo. Holmes, Mojave prospector. With him is affiliated M. A. Holmes, Kenneth Holmes and several others.

Mining quarters in Los Angeles report George Wingfield, former banking and mining king of Nevada, has taken options on flanking property.

Senator Key Pittman also is reported to have taken options on several adjoining leases.

Hugh Rose, mining director, who has taken the option, is in charge of mining operations in the United States for this company. The engineer for the company is J. F. Boyd, who is maintaining a field office at Placerville.

Robert McAfee, who managed the assay office, now owned by Don C. Billick, for the Hoff interests about three years ago and who was later employed in local mines, is one of the engineering staff.

H. H. Hallett, superintendent of streets, and crew are giving a heavy coat of gravel to Park Avenue, in preparation for winter travel.


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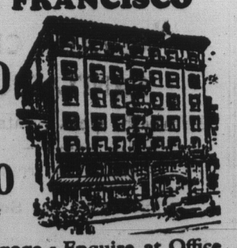

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Mae West has gone down to Dixie and raised havoc this time. In her newest, gusty, laugh-and-drama-filled screen spectacle, "Belle of the Nineties," which will show tonight at the Nevada Theater. Miss West has returned to the Giddy Nineties, bourgeois costumes, swirling hats and ostrich plumes for her setting.

In the principal male roles are Roger Pryor, and John Mack Brown and John Miljan, who acts the "tall, dark" menace. Duke Ellington, rhythm king, furnishes a tantalizing musical background for Miss West's vocal renditions.

There will be a matinee Tuesday at 2.15.

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The "Stars Supported by Stars" slogan adopted as the policy of their 20th Century Pictures company was impressively enforced in casting "The Affairs of Cellini," their new comedy which will play Wednesday and Thursday at the Nevada Theater.

Constance Bennett and Fredric March are co-starred in this adaptation of sensational stage hit, "The Firebrand," and Fay Wray and Frank Morgan, two of Hollywood's most poular and capable artists, are featured in their support.

March, in the title role of the incomparable goldsmith, lover and rogue who flourished in 16th Century Florence, makes his debut as a 20th Cenutry star in "The Affairs of Cellini," which marks the second appearance under this banner of Constance Bennett, who plays the amorous Duchess of Florence.

There will be a matine at 2.15 Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. Davis accompanied by Mr. Davi's father, D. A. Davis, and Mrs. W. H. Lewis, motored to Sacramento Sunday. Mr. David A. Davis remained for a few days to receive medical care.

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Mrs. George Gildersleeve left today for St. Helena and will be joined by her husband on Wednesday. They will spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. Gildersleeve's mother in that city.

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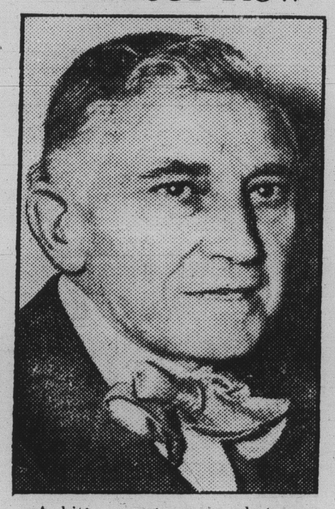
Misses Evalyn O'Connor and Iris Murchie, teachers in the Roseville schools, spent last week end in Nevada City with their parents.

## A. & P. President In Labor Row



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Dated November 16th, 1934.

ELLA M. RAMSEY,
Administratrix of the estate of Fred Dunn, Deceased.

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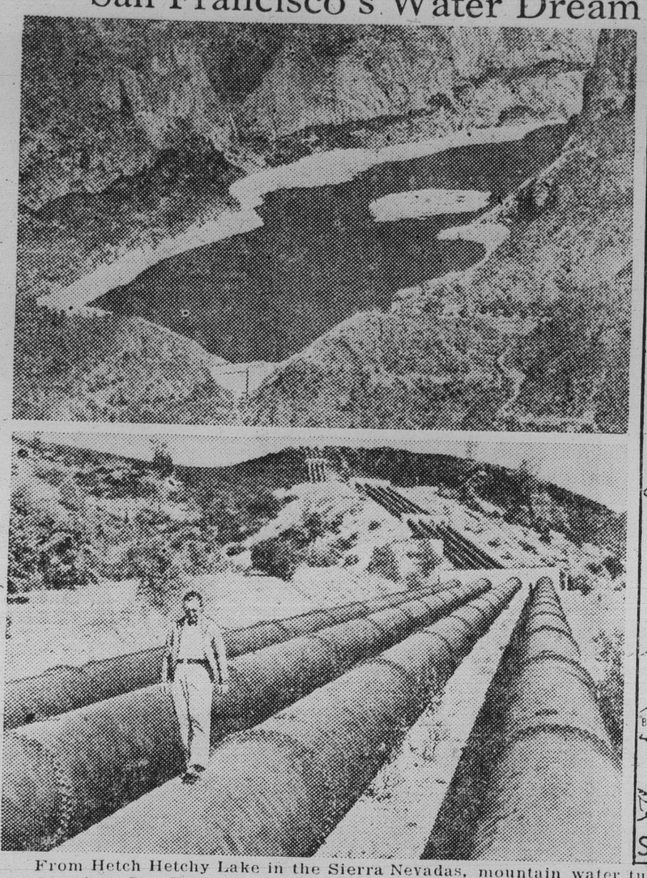
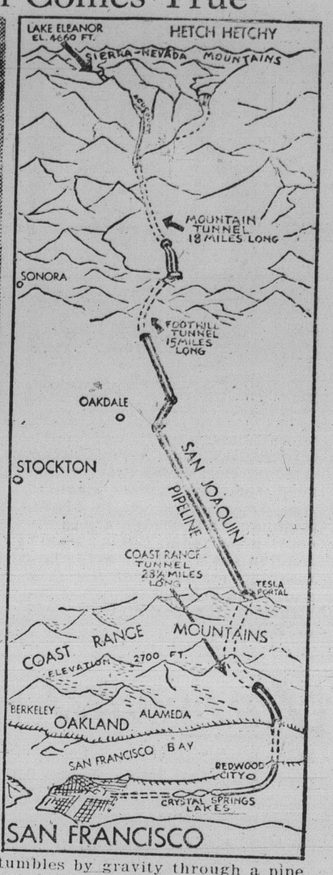
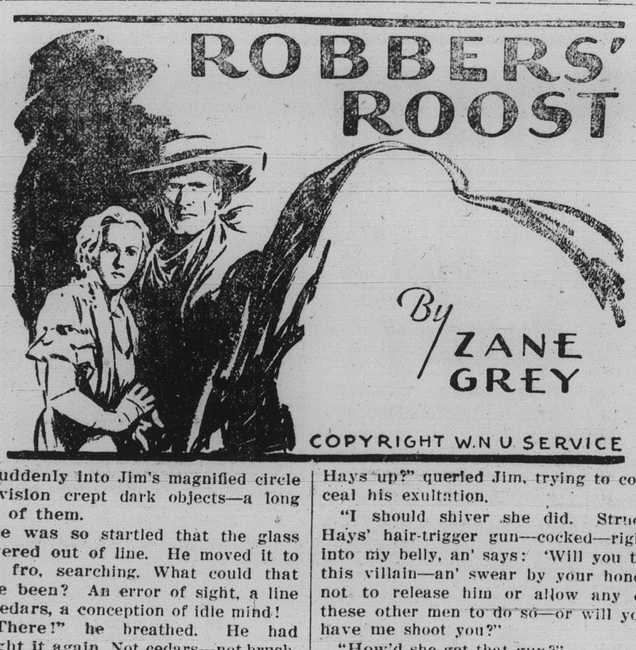
## San Francisco's Water Dream Comes True






From Hetch Hetchy Lake in the Sierra Nevadas, mountain water tumbles by gravity through a pipe system into San Francisco, 170 miles away, culminating a giant engineering task that took 22 years to complete and cost $100,000,000. The project can deliver 60,000,000 gallons of water daily, and develop 100,000 electrical horsepower. At left, above, is Hetch Hetchy Lake, source of San Francisco's new water supply. Below are shown the pipes which convey mountain water to the city, along the route indicated in the map at right.




Suddenly into Jim's magnified circle of vision crept dark objects—a long line of them.

He was so startled that the glass wavered out of line. He moved it to and fro, searching. What could that have been? An error of sight, a line of cedars, a conception of idle mind!

"There!" he breathed. He had caught it again, Not cedars—not brush, but moving objects! . . . "By heaven!" he muttered. "Am I dotty?"

Horses! A line of dark horses! His straining eyes blurred. He lowered the glass with shaking hands. "So help me—it looks like riders!"

A third time Jim caught the objects. He froze the glass on them. Horses and riders—horses with packs! A bursting gush of hot blood ran all through him. It looked like Heeseman's outfit, at least three miles away, approaching slowly by a route far to the south of that over which Hays had come.

"About three miles," muttered Jim. "Coming slow. They're lost. . . . But that wash they're in heads into the Hays trail. . . . If they strike that they'll come fast. Not enough rain yet to wash out our tracks. We've not time to pack and ride out. . . . By thunder, they've cornered us! Now, Hank Hays—"

Jim took one more straining look. No hope! It was a big outfit and not traveling so slowly, either. The leader bestrode a black horse. Jim remembered that horse. Snatching up his rifle he slung the field-glass over his shoulder and ran down off the bluff to the camp.

To his profound amaze he espied Hays bound hand and foot, with a stick behind him and through his elbows. The robber sat in an uncomfortable posture against the woodpile. In a second Jim saw that Hays had been gagged and his face was so contorted by rage that it appeared scarcely human.

"What's up!" cried Jim, breaking out of his bewilderment.

Hays gave vent to an inarticulate sound, but it was expressive. Jim wheeled to stalk under the shack, his hand on his gun, as if he half expected Heeseman to have arrived before him. To his further amaze Miss Herrick was sitting at the rude table, eating breakfast. A big gun, that Jim recognized as Hays' property, lay conspicuously in front of her. Happy Jack, whistling as usual, was serving her.

"What does this mean?" demanded Jim.

"Ask the men," she replied, curtly.

Outside and below the shack sat Smoky on a rock, with the others standing near.

"Mawnin', Jim," drawled Smoky, with a grin. "You see we've got a new chief."

"Who hawg-tied the boss?"

"Reckon I did—with a little help."

"What for?"

"D—n' if I know. Our lady prisoner made me do it."

"Miss Herrick forced you to tie Hays up?" queried Jim, trying to conceal his exultation.

"I should shiver she did. Struck Hays' hair-trigger gun—cocked—right into my belly, an' says: 'Will you tie this villain—an' swear by your honor not to release him or allow any of these other men to do so—or will you have me shoot you?"

"How'd she get that gun?"

"Wal, she snatched it quicker'n lightnin', that's how. An' when she cocked it with both hands it went off bang! The bullet went between Hank's legs. Tickled him. You can see the hole in his pants. Scared? My Gawd, you never see a man so scared. Thet gurl, cool as a cucumber, cocked the gun again, an' held Hays up—then all of us.

"We was sittin' at the table. She made us all stand, hands high, an' then she performed thet little trick with Hank's gun agin my gizzard. Jim, I hope to die if I didn't go cold an' stiff. But I promised on my word of honor—as a robber—thet I'd tie Hank up, an' make the other fellers play square. It was so funny, too, thet I near bust. Hays, soon as he was helpless, got over his scare, an' then was he mad! I reckon no one on this earth saw a madder man. He cussed so terrible thet she made me gag him."

"Well, I'll be—blowed!" gasped Jim.

"No wonder. We was wuss. We'd had breakfast, an' Hank was tryin' to face us fellers. I'll say he came clean, Jim. He divided all the money he got from Herrick an' his sister, an' the gold things an' diamonds. 'Fellers,' he said, 'I could lie an' say I meant to give this to you later. But I'm not built thet way. I double-crossed you all—first time in my life. I meant to keep it all, an' the ransom, fer the girl. But now there won't be no ransom, for I'm not goin' to give her up. She's mine, an' I can do as I want, an' if any of you don't like it you can make your kick now.' . . . Wal, we was so plumb flabbergasted thet we didn't see the gurl, who came close on the sun side of Happy's shelter. She heard the whole d—n' show. . . . Jim, I wish you could have seen her when she stepped up to Hank. I don't know what did it—mebbe her eyes—but he shore wilted. It was then she snatched his gun."

"So that's the deal!" ejaculated Jim. "What are you going to do?"

"Don't ask me. I gave my word an' I'll keep it. For thet matter the rest of our outfit air fer the gurl, ransom or no ransom."

Suddenly Jim awoke out of his stupefaction to remember the approach of Heeseman.

"Smoky, I know what you're all going to do, and that's fight," he flashed, curtly. "Heeseman's outfit is coming. I sighted them perhaps three miles. Traveling slow, but sure. We've no time to pack an' get away. We've got to find the best place to stand an' fight, an' pack our stuff into it pronto."

"Heeseman!" cried Smoky, coolly. "So it's come. I reckoned on thet. Git busy, men."

Jim strode under the shelter to face Miss Herrick. She had heard, for she was white.

"We're all but surprised by Heeseman's outfit," he said, abruptly. "We must fight. You will be worse off if you fall into their hands. I'm sorry I must release Hays. We need him."

"Too late!" she exclaimed.

(To Be Continued)

## REVELATION OF EVER PRESENT GOOD IS THEME OF LECTURE

Christian Science is practical religion. On this account it finds ready response amongst practically-minded persons. It teaches, on a scientific basis, exactly what Jesus taught.

Although the period allotted to a lecture on this subject is necessarily brief, I shall endeavor, nevertheless, to tell you at least something about the Principle and rule of this Science, the Science of ever-present good; something about its method or modus operandi.

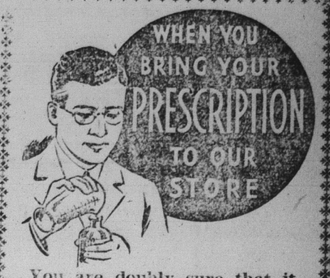
For the full, complete, and original statement of Christian Science, I refer you, of course, to that unique volume, the Chiristian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy.

**THE MASTER'S MISSION**

The Bible tells us that Jesus came to do the will of the Father and to destroy the works of the devil. By studying the Gospels, you will find that the Master spent most of his time liberating those who believed they were in bondage to sin, disease, and death. If these evils were real, that is, if they were of God, Jesus would have disobeyed God by destroying them. But the very fact that the Master could and did destroy them proved beyond question or room for reasonable dubt that God was not their author.

True, God made all that was made but the Bible tells us that God made it all "very good." Are sin, disease, poverty, and death good? Did you ever hear anyone say he was glad to do wrong, to be sick, or to lack necessary food, clothing, and shelter? If these and other phrases of discord are good, we should be glad to have them with us always, even as we are glad to have any good and helpful friend with us always. But ask the slave of wrong-doing, and the bedridden invalid, and the person in desperate financial need whether they see any good in sin, sickness, and want, supposedly sent from God for some helpful, benevolent purpose and in which, according to such reasoning, they should be glad to remain.

Is it not self-evident that, if God were directly or indirectly responsible for evil if He were in any way associated with human suffering, the cries of mankind for relief would be useless, and that Christian Science, medicine, surgery, philanthropy, or any other method of treatment to which one might appeal for help, would be illegitimate? Do you not see that none of us would even aspire to recover, to reform, or to rise above discouragement and failure lest we shuuld find ourselves fighting against God? But, thanks to Mrs. Eddy, we are learning that error, and not Truth, God, is responsible for all the discord and suffering on earth, and Christian Science is showing us how to resist and overcome error and its chief agent fear.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# SOCIAL EVENTS

## Banner Mt. Post Plans Big Event Dec. 2

At a recent meeting of Banner Mountain Post, V. F. W., Post, details of the coming parade for December 2 were discussed, and it was decided to invite the Canadian V. F. W., Post, of Sacramento Drum and Bugle Corps, besides several drum and bugle corps from other posts. There will be a full afternoon of entertainment at the Odd Fellows hall where dinner is to be served. All veterans and wives are invited to attend. The Post will be assisted by their auxiliary.

The Auxiliary held their public installation Friday evening in Pythian Castle and installed the following officers for the coming year: Mrs. Blanche Williams, president; Mrs. Jessie Costa, sr. vice; Mrs. Dorothy Lewis, junior vice; Mrs. Hazel Figurski, treasurer; Mrs. C. E. Bosworth, secretary; Mrs. Magaret Tonella, chaplain; Mrs. Nancy James guard; Mrs. May Williams, patriotic instructor. Mrs. Agnes Hoskin, historian; Mrs. Muriel Day, 18 month trustee. Mrs. John Figurski was presented with a past presidents pin. The installing officer, Mrs. F. Williams, of Lincoln, and Mrs. Blanche Williams, president, were presented corsages in behalf of the Auxiliary. A delicious turkey supper was enjoyed.

Friday's issue of the Nugget will carry a full program for the big coming event.

## Miss Betty Jean Jacobs Celebrates Birthday

Miss Betty Jean Jacobs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Jacobs, entertained twenty guests at her birthday party Sunday in the Davies apartments. Betty Jean, who is only nine years old, is a musician and entertained her little guests with music and songs besides a number of games.

A large elaborately decorated birthday cake was the center piece of the prettily appointed table. She was the recipient of a number of nice gifts and well wishes for many happy returns of the day.

## Teachers to Enjoy Banquet and Card Party

A get-to-gether banquet and card party is being held at the National Hotel this evening by the teachers who are attending institute in the County Seat this week.

The banquet starts promptly at six o'clock in the large upstairs banquet room. The parlor upstairs has been prepared for the occasion and 13 tables of bridge will be enjoyed by the visitors. Fred Worth, genial and kindly host, has arranged all details for a most enjoyable time.

## AND NOW WOMEN SHOOT THE DEER!

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—It wasn't so many years ago that the idea of a woman arming herself with a high-powered rifle and faring forth into the mountains to get a shot at a deer, was one of those things that produced a loud haw haw, from the male deer hunter. The idea was that a woman would not know how to load a rifle, let alone draw a bead on a galloping buck and hit it.

Well the 1934 deer season serves to disabuse the most skeptical that these ideas are any longer logical.

With the count of deer tags for the present year completed, it is revealed that 539 women purchasers of the necessary certificates to hunt deer killed 605 bucks, 66 of them bringing down the limit. And they did not shoot little fellows, spikes or forked horns. Some of the heads reported were quite impressive.

Christian H. Johnson, of Aptos, Santa Cruz county, reported the largest buck killed by a woman this year. Her tag read 10 points on each side of the deer head. She got her venison near Alturas, on September 22.

### WOMEN'S CIVIC CLUB

The regular business meeting of the Civic Club will be held this evening at the usual hour at Brand's Studio. Roll call responses will be called for and discussion of the Community Christmas tree with its attendant activities, as well as other important business will be brought before the members, requiring a full attendance.

### MINE MACHINERY BREAKS

A breakdown of the machinery at the Murchie mine Saturday necessitated the laying off of the men until today.

### OPENING OF TAVERN SUCCESS

The reception and grand opening of the Long John Tavern was a complete success and was attended by record crowds. The tavern and beautiful apartments were visited by throngs from Nevada City, Grass Valley and outside points.

## Not an 'SOS'

In Chicago federal court, while Samuel Insull and co-defendants awaited verdict after trial on mail fraud charges, the aged one-time utilities magnate was observed, as shown above, tapping on a telegraph key in the court press room. But he wasn't sending out a call for help; just recalling memories of the long ago, when he worked such an instrument for Inventor Thomas A. Edison.

## Personals

Mrs. Homer Britten, of Nevada City, is preparing to go to Los Angeles after Thanksgiving for a visit of a few days.

Charles Jeffrey motored to Berkeley Saturday and attended the big football game. He will remain until Wednesday visiting his brother, Bill, who is attending the university.

Ray O. Foster, mining man, who formerly operated a property, the Twin Sisters, north of Nevada City, and is now mining in Mariposa county, was a recent visitor.

Mrs. C. C. Skewes, of Grass Valley suffered a severe fall at her home a few days ago. Her many friends hope for her an early recovery from her injuries.

Mrs. Mary Gordon, writer, from Carmel, accompanied by Mrs. Rodgers also of Carmel, visited the last few days with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Broown of this city. The visitors were much pleased with Nevada City, and plan to come here soon for an extended stay.

Miss Madeline Gibbons, owner of the Betty Jean Shops, came over from Oroville Saturday and brought a choice assortment of dresses in the formals and semi-formals, besides a nice display of evening wraps. They are on display this week in the local Betty Jean Shop.

Will Hatch, who handles the retail sales for Kopp's Bakery about Nevada City, was operated upon last Monday at the Nevada City Sanitarium for hernia and has been critically ill for the past week. He is reported as holding his own at present. Dr. B. W. Hummelt is the attending physician.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dolan left today for San Francisco where they will spend a few days visiting Mr. Dolan's sister, Mrs. Will Walthers and family, and brother, Arthur Dolan and family, over the Thanksgiving holidays.

William Lackland, of North San Juan, was a business visitor in Nevada City this forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Guenther, Jr., and two children, of Yreka, will motor to Nevada City tomorrow and spend the week and Thanksgiving here with Mr. Guenther's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Guenther, Sr.

Dr. and Mrs. B. W. Hummelt have just returned from Berkeley having attended the football game between California and Stanford.

Miss Gertrude Paine, teacher in the Sebastopol school, will spend Thanksgiving in Nevada City with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Paine.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. N. Ott will spend Thanksgiving in Sacramento with their son, E. J. N. Ott, Jr., and family.

Misses Margaret and Ruth Rector, students at University of California, are to come up Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving and the week end at home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Rector.

Miss Ellen Curtis, of Sacramento, is to spend Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Muccardini, in Nevada City.

Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Casci, of Scotts Flat, spent Monday in Nevada City visiting with their daughter, Mrs. R. Richerson and family.

Supervisor C. S. Arbogast will motor to Stockton Wednesday and return with his daughter, Miss Helen Arbokast, and Carl Murchie and Ben Sweeney, who are all attending the College of the Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Tamblyn will have as Thanksgiving guests, Mr. Tamblyn's sister, Mrs. V. F. Farmer of Oakland, Miss Dorothy Tamblyn, student at the College of the Pacific; and William Tamblyn, who is attending the University of California.

Mrs. Luther Marsh and children have just returned from a weeks visit with her mother in Roseville.


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THE AFFAIRS OF CELLINI The doings of that amorous rogue Benvenuto Cellini are exposed in "The Affairs of Cellini," starring Frederic March in the role of Cellini and Constance Bennett, as the unfaithful Duchess. Matinee Thursday, at 2:15.

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